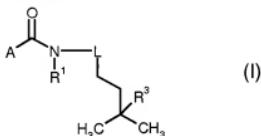


AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

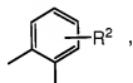
Claims 1-18 (canceled)

Claim 19 (previously presented): An isopentylcarboxanilide of formula (I)



in which

L represents



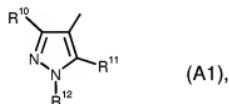
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R¹ represents hydrogen, C₁-C₈-alkyl, or C₁-C₆-haloalkyl,

R² represents hydrogen, fluorine, chlorine, methyl, or trifluoromethyl,

R³ represents halogen, C₁-C₈-alkyl, or C₁-C₆-haloalkyl, and

A represents a radical of formula (A1)



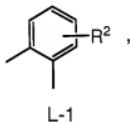
in which

R¹⁰ represents hydrogen, hydroxyl, formyl, cyano, chlorine, bromine, iodine, nitro, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, C₁-C₄-alkylthio, or C₃-C₆-cycloalkyl; or represents C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy, or C₁-C₄-haloalkylthio having in each case 1 to 5 halogen atoms; or represents aminocarbonyl or aminocarbonyl-C₁-C₄-alkyl,

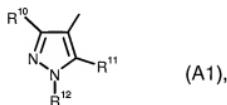
R^{11} represents hydrogen, chlorine, bromine, iodine, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-alkoxy, or C₁-C₄-alkylthio; or represents C₁-C₄-haloalkyl or C₁-C₄-haloalkylthio having in each case 1 to 5 halogen atoms, and
 R^{12} represents hydrogen, C₁-C₄-alkyl, hydroxy-C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₂-C₆-alkenyl, C₃-C₆-cycloalkyl, C₁-C₄-alkylthio-C₁-C₄-alkyl, or C₁-C₄-alkoxy-C₁-C₄-alkyl; represents C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkylthio-C₁-C₄-alkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkoxy-C₁-C₄-alkyl having in each case 1 to 5 halogen atoms; or represents phenyl,
with the proviso that R^{10} does not represent iodine if R^{11} represents hydrogen.

Claim 20 (previously presented): An isopentylcarboxanilide of formula (I) according to Claim 19 in which

L represents



R^1 represents hydrogen, C₁-C₆-alkyl, or C₁-C₄-haloalkyl,
 R^2 represents hydrogen, fluorine, chlorine, methyl, or trifluoromethyl,
 R^3 represents fluorine, chlorine, bromine, iodine, C₁-C₆-alkyl, or C₁-C₆-haloalkyl having 1 to 13 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms, and
 A represents a radical of formula (A1)



in which

R^{10} represents hydrogen, hydroxyl, formyl, cyano, chlorine, bromine, iodine, methyl, ethyl, isopropyl, methoxy, ethoxy, methylthio, ethylthio, or cyclopropyl; represents C₁-C₂-haloalkyl or C₁-C₂-

haloalkoxy having in each case 1 to 5 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; represents trifluoromethylthio, difluoromethylthio, aminocarbonyl, aminocarbonylmethyl, or aminocarbonylethyl,

R¹¹ represents hydrogen, chlorine, bromine, iodine, methyl, ethyl, methoxy, ethoxy, methylthio, ethylthio, or C₁-C₂-haloalkyl having 1 to 5 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms, and

R¹² represents hydrogen, methyl, ethyl, n-propyl, isopropyl, C₁-C₂-haloalkyl having 1 to 5 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms, hydroxymethyl, hydroxyethyl, cyclopropyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl, or phenyl,

with the proviso that R¹⁰ does not represent iodine if R¹¹ represents hydrogen.

Claims 21-22 (canceled)

Claim 23 (previously presented): An isopentylcarboxanilide of formula (I) according to Claim 19 in which R¹ represents hydrogen.

Claims 24-27 (canceled)

Claim 28 (previously presented): A composition for controlling phytopathogenic fungi comprising one or more isopentylcarboxanilides of formula (I) according to Claim 19 and one or more extenders and/or surfactants.

Claim 29 (previously presented): A method for controlling unwanted microorganisms comprising applying an effective amount of an isopentylcarboxanilide of formula (I) according to Claim 19 to the microorganisms and/or their habitat.

Claims 30-35 (canceled)